BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Notice of Public Hearing

Proposed State Implementation Plan (SIP) Revision for the Redesignation Request and Maintenance Plan for the Manitowoc County 2015 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard Nonattainment Area

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to ss. 285.11(5) and (6), *Wis. Stats.*, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will hold a public hearing on a proposed revision to the Wisconsin SIP.

Date and Time

January 13, 2021 2:00 PM CST

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Availability of the Proposed SIP Documents

Background information and proposed documents related to the emission inventory submittal can be downloaded at http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/AirQuality/Input.html or hard copies can be obtained, free of charge, by contacting Olivia Salmon as indicated below.

Background

The DNR is proposing to submit this SIP revision to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requesting that EPA redesignate the Manitowoc County 2015 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) nonattainment area to attainment. Based on draft air quality monitoring data for the years 2018-2020, the Manitowoc County nonattainment area has demonstrated attainment of the 2015 ozone NAAQS. This proposed SIP submittal demonstrates that all applicable provisions of the Clean Air Act regarding redesignation to attainment have been met.

Action Subject to Comment

The DNR is soliciting comment on this proposed SIP submittal.

Agency Contact and Submitting Comment

Comments on this proposed SIP submittal should be received on or before January 25, 2021. Written comments may be submitted by U.S. mail, fax, or email and will have the same weight and effect as oral statements presented at the public hearing.

Questions or requests related to the hearing and written comments or questions on the proposed SIP should be submitted to:

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